

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 29

RESOLUTION CHAPTER 100

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 29—Relative to the Orange County Korean War Veterans Memorial Highway.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

ACR 29, Bates. Orange County Korean War Veterans Memorial Highway.

This measure would designate that portion of State Highway Route 1 that extends from its southern terminus in the City of San Juan Capistrano to its intersection with Golden West Street in the City of Huntington Beach as the Orange County Korean War Veterans Memorial Highway. The measure also would request the Department of Transportation to determine the cost for appropriate signs showing this special designation and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources covering that cost, to erect those signs.

WHEREAS, June 25, 2000, marked the 50th anniversary of the invasion of South Korea by North Korea and the start of the three-year Korean War with combat hostilities ending upon the signing of an armistice agreement by the United Nations and North Korea on July 27, 1953; and

WHEREAS, The Korean War is often called “The Forgotten War” because many of our nation’s veterans who served in that conflict have been forgotten; and

WHEREAS, The nation is currently observing the 50th anniversary of the Korean War by special observances and commemorative activities that are occurring during the years 2000 to 2003, inclusive; and

WHEREAS, The public memorials that are dedicated to those who served, and to those who died in that conflict, will remind future generations of the sacrifices that these men and women made during the Korean War, and stand as an eternal symbol that the State of California honors and remembers its veterans; and

WHEREAS, It is therefore fitting and proper that the portion of State Highway Route 1 that extends from its southern terminus in the City of San Juan Capistrano to its intersection with Golden West Street in the City of Huntington Beach be designated as the Orange County Korean War Veterans Memorial Highway; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate thereof concurring, That the Legislature hereby designates that portion of State Highway Route 1 that extends from its southern terminus in the City of San Juan Capistrano to its intersection with Golden West Street in the City of Huntington Beach as the Orange County Korean War Veterans Memorial Highway; and be it further

Resolved, That the Department of Transportation is requested to determine the cost of erecting appropriate signs or markers, consistent with signing requirements for the state highway system, showing that special designation, and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources covering that cost, to erect those signs or markers; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies of this resolution to the Department of Transportation and to the author for appropriate distribution.

